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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

10 YONG GUO,

11 Petitioner,

12 v.

13 UNITED STATES,

14 Respondent.

CASE NO. C18-1055-MJP

ORDER DIRECTING THE UNITED
STATES TO ANSWER § 2255
PETITION

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16 THIS MATTER comes before the Court on Petitioner's Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or
17 Correct Sentence Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255. (Dkt. No. 1.) After a preliminary review of the
18 Motion, the Court ORDERS as follows:

- 19 1. Within 45 days of the date of this Order, the United States shall file and serve an
20 Answer in accordance with Rule 5 of the Rules Governing Section 2255 Cases in
21 United States District Courts. As part of its Answer, the United States shall state
22 its position as to whether an evidentiary hearing is necessary, whether any
23 discovery is necessary, whether there is any issue as to abuse or delay under Rule
24 9, and whether Petitioner's motion is barred by the statute of limitations.

1 2. On the face of its Answer, the United States shall note this matter for the fourth
2 Friday following the filing of its Answer, and the Clerk shall note the matter on
3 the Court's docket accordingly.

4 3. Petitioner may file a Reply to the Answer no later than the noting date.

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6 The clerk is ordered to provide copies of this order to all counsel.

7 Dated July 19, 2018.

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11 Marsha J. Pechman
12 United States District Court Judge
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